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Apply to MRS. JAS. FAIR

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Bright and interesting meetings
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Heart's welcome extended to all
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Sausages, Hams, Bacon, Butter, etc.

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NOTICE

In the matter of the Court of Con-
firmation of the Tax Enforce-
ment Return of the
Town of Blairmore

TAKE NOTICE that His Hon-
or, Judge E. P. McNeill, Judge
of the District Court of the
District of Macleod, has ap-
pointed Thursday, the twentieth
day of April, 1916, at the
hour of ten o'clock in the fore-
noon, in the Court Chamber,
Blairmore, as the time and
place for holding the Court of
Confirmation to confirm the
Tax Enforcement return of the
Town of Blairmore.

WM. JOYCE,
Secretary-Treasurer,
Town of Blairmore

"Within The Law" Uses New Invention

The Maxim Silencer, a recent inven-
tion which eliminates all noise, the dis-
charge and explosion of a gun or revolv-
er, is used with excellent effect in
"Within The Law." A professional
cock, into whose hands one of these in-
struments has fallen, use it with deadly
effect, after first having demonstrated its
practicability by breaking a vase with it
without any sound whatever. The
common use of the Maxim Silencer was
prohibited by Government laws, and its
use in crime can be recommended which
almost eliminate the probability of cap-
ture. The only sound heard when this
silencer has been fired, the elimination
of both smoke and noise would make it
absolutely impossible for an enemy to
locate the position of this arm. Officers
or any one interested will have an oppor-
tunity, upon the day on which "Within
The Law" is played in this city, to ex-
amine and see demonstrated the Maxim
Silencer.

The play will be produced at the Blair-
more Opera House one night only—
Wednesday, February 23rd.



PUBLIC NOTICE

A SITTING OF THE DISTRICT
COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF MACLEOD
ON WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 23rd,
commencing at 10 A.M.

JAMES H. BROWNING,
Deputy Attorney General

Reward \$150.00 will be
paid for information leading to the
arrest and conviction of any
person setting, without author-
ity, dry or green timber on our
property.

MCLAREN LUMBER CO.

Oddfellows Hold Annual Session

This week the Alberta Grand
Lodge of Oddfellows and auxil-
iaries met in annual session at
Lethbridge, being attended by
upwards of 430 representatives
of Rebekah, Encampment and
Subordinate Lodge branches
throughout the Province.

The session of the Rebekah
Assembly opened on Monday at
9:00 a.m., presided over by Vic-
tor M. E. Molloy, president.

The Encampment sessions
opened on Tuesday morning,
presided over by Sergt. Major
M. A. Brimcombe, Grand Pa-
triarch.

The first session of the Grand
Lodge of Alberta was held on
Wednesday morning, when
Grand Master A. E. Cummings,
of Edmonton, called the Grand
Lodge to order for its eleventh
annual session. This session
was attended by over 330 dele-
gates and past grands, as well
as several past grand masters
and representatives of the sister
jurisdictions of Saskatchewan
and British Columbia. At
the opening session 120 new
members were admitted into
membership, meaning that
practically forty per cent. of the
sister jurisdiction at this
time in attendance at this
year's session were new and
young in the work of the Or-
der.

Many questions of import-
ance came up for consideration
before this grand assembly,
probably the most important
being a provision for the de-
pendants and children of mem-
bers who may become deceased
or disabled in the present Eu-
ropean war. The measure re-
garding the most unique was
adopted by any fraternal or
beneficial organization through-
out the Dominion, and we look
forward to much satisfaction
deriving from its enforcement.
In the new legislation it is
clearly stipulated that only
such soldiers as are in good
financial standing with their
lodge shall be entitled to bene-
fit therefrom. According to
the constitution of the Order it
is not lawful for the general
funds of the Order to be ap-
propriated for such an emergency,
therefore it is necessary that
some new legislation be adopted
in order to meet condi-
tions which will in future con-
front this great organization.
In order to create a fund for
such purpose, a committee rep-
resentative of every corner of
the Alberta jurisdiction has
been appointed, and voluntary
subscriptions of about \$1.00 per
member is asked as a founda-
tion for said fund. Whenever
additional funds are deemed
necessary, further appeals will
be made to the members.

No time was lost on Monday
by the Rebekahs in getting
down to the business of the
sixth annual session of the Re-
bekah Assembly of Alberta.
During the afternoon the elec-
tive and appointive officers for
the ensuing year were named
with the following results:

Junior Past President—Mary Molloy,
Nanton.
President—May McDougall, Pincher
Creek.
Vice President—Minnie McIntyre, Ed-
monton.
Warden—Margaret Rose, Medicine
Hat.
APPOINTIVE OFFICERS:
Marshal—Mrs. R. B. Jordan, Leth-
bridge.
Conductor—Mrs. McKinn, Edmon-
ton.
Chaplain—Mrs. Coshore, Carleton-
place.
Inside Guard—Mrs. Allison, Pincher
Creek.
Outside Guard—Mrs. Bauman, Leth-
bridge.
The election of officers of the
Grand Encampment resulted as
follows:
Junior Past Grand Patriarch—Sergt.

Officers of The 102nd Battalion

Wednesday, February 17th, will be a
day long to be remembered by this town,
it being the first day in which active re-
cruiting commenced to fill the ranks of
the newly authorized 102nd Battalion, to
be commanded by Lieut.-Col. Lyon. At
the end of the day no less a total than 60
men had enlisted, and signed the neces-
sary in-ss.

A list of officers so far appointed by
the Lieutenant-Colonel and submitted to
the D.O.C. for approval is—
Quartermaster, T. E. Burnett, Bel-
levue.
Paymaster, E. C. Coslick, Blairmore.
Captain, G. A. Pasmore, "
J. W. Verge, "
J. Angus Macdonald, "
J. H. Farmer, "
W. Hutchingson, Hillcrest.
Lieutenants, H. M. Bennett, Blairmore.
W. Joyce, "
A. C. Barclay, "
G. Bond, "
C. R. Veeler, "
E. Fraser, "
W. J. Fisher, "
J. Graham, Coleman.
Rev. Cameron, "
E. Doukin, Frank.
R. T. Cherry, Hillcrest.
Chaplain, "
R. E. Campbell, Calgary.

In the list above all the names are well
known to the people of this town, with
the exception of Lieut. Campbell, of Cal-
gary, who up to the time of his ap-
pointment, serving as signal sergeant of
the 80th of Calgary.

Captain Hutchingson, is an old South
African veteran, having served through-
out the whole of that campaign, retiring with
six bars to his credit. Lieut. Bennett,
also saw service in the African campaign.
Lieut. Fraser has since the outbreak
of present hostilities, held the rank of
sergeant in the 15th.
Captain Verge has held the office of
lieutenant in the active Canadian militia,
and was later for a long time instructor
in the Cadets.
The name of Clem Stubbis is also well
known, not only in this town, but in the
whole of The Pass, owing to Lieut. Stubbis
being at one time president of the U.M.
W.A.A.
Captain and Quartermaster Burnett,
is a name also well known to most peo-
ple in The Pass, especially to the resi-
dents of Bellevue, where for a great many
years he has successfully conducted a
large business.
Lieut. Veeler, has up to the time of his
enlistment, been the resident manager of
the local branch of the Royal Bank.
A full list of all the names will be pub-
lished in next week's issue.

Evil thoughts produce bad of
our diseases.

Major M. A. Brimcombe, Vermilion.
Grand Patriarch—D. Wilson, Edmon-
ton.
Grand High Priest—F. W. Doukin,
Blairmore.
Grand Senior Warden—E. E. Chandler,
Wetaskin.
Grand Pericles—H. J. Adams, Cal-
gary.
Grand Treasurer—G. Henderson, Cal-
gary.
Grand Junior Warden—R. B. Jordan, Leth-
bridge.
Grand Marshal—Mr. Watt, Canaan-
park.
Grand Inside Sentinel—C. Coslick,
Edmonton.
Grand Outside Sentinel—H. McLaren,
Calgary.
M. S. Saunders, Past Grand Patriarch
of Calgary, is representative of the new-
covenanted Lodge. The Grand En-
campment shows ten live encampments
now conformed, together with three or four
applying for admission. The latter in-
clude Canaanpark and Winnipeg.

The officers elected for the
Grand Lodge are:

Past Grand Master—A. E. Cummings,
Edmonton.
Grand Master—J. W. Miller, Canaan-
park.
Deputy Grand Master—R. W. Parker,
Bon Island.
Grand Warden—Robert Scott, Ed-
monton.
Grand Chaplain, J. F. Hunter, Blair-
more.
Grand Secretary—O. E. Tisdale, Cal-
gary.
Grand Treasurer—H. J. Adams, Cal-
gary.
Grand Marshal—George Baldwin,
Canaanpark.
Grand Conductor—E. Berry, Halkirk.
Grand Guardian—E. M. Clark, Val-
ley.
Grand Herald—A. M. Sutherland,
Athabasca Landing.
Grand Representative—A. E. Cum-
mings and A. E. May, Edmonton.
House Pious Trustees—J. B. Little
and A. Valentine, Calgary.

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Prompt Service
Special Rates for Board and Room
Meals at All Hours. Meal Tickets at Regular Rates

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Blairmore,

Alberta

Red Cross News Throughout Canada

The Saskatchewan Provincial
Red Cross has a membership of
4,600.

The Goderich Red Cross Society
has shipped supplies to the value
of \$3,454.

The Barry Red Cross has ten
auxiliaries in the surrounding
country.

In Alberta 1,200 Red Cross
"Mite" Boxes have been distributed
to private homes.

The employees of the Imperial
Oil Co., of Sarnia, have given
\$1,000 to the Red Cross Society.

A Co-operative Elevator Com-
pany in Saskatchewan has given
\$1,000 to the Saskatchewan Red Cross.

The Collingwood Red Cross has
a membership of over 500 and has
raised \$3,686 in money and sup-
plies.

The Manitoba Red Cross has a
membership of 7,519 and has col-
lected during the past year nearly
\$120,000.

A Red Cross worker in Wol-
ville, N.S., has put up over 400
jars of fruit for the Red Cross
hospitals.

The Grain Growers Guide, a
prominent Western agricultural
paper, has raised \$659 for its Red
Cross fund.

The Hamilton Steel Co. is mak-
ing the Red Cross a donation for
1916, of \$5,000 payable in quar-
terly instalments.

The Commodore of the Royal
Victoria Yacht Club, at Victoria,
has given to the Red Cross a steu-
er yacht valued at \$10,000.

Wollville citizens gave \$255
towards the expenses of No. 7 Sta-
tionary Hospital which is being
equipped by Nova Scotia.

Montreal raised \$2,379,000 for
the Patriotic Fund, and up till
Friday, February 4, Toronto raised
\$2,392,000. Both cities have every
reason to be proud of the record.

It Pays To Advertise

Red Cross An International Arbitrator

The Red Cross in this war has been the great safeguard of the rights of all non-belligerents.

It does not pose as a neutral—open to the suspicion of a hypocritical neutrality for one side or the other. It is not prejudiced in the ordinary sense of the word. Its aims are entirely non-political. It does not attempt to influence the military policies of any government.

It merely upholds the rights of non-belligerents, whether civilians, or wounded and prisoner soldiers.

From this point of view the Red Cross is a great non-belligerent international power, whose strength is the strength of an undivided international morality—the universal human obligation to relieve misery. The vigor with which all the warring powers have denied any intention to transgress the provisions of the Geneva Convention, the International Magna Charter, which guarantees the liberties of the Red Cross—is proof of a general admission of Red Cross rights.

Any nation cynical enough to disavow the Convention of Geneva, would incur the odium of the world. That treaty is solemn and inviolable of all international treaties.

It is thus evident that Red Cross work is the only form of pacificism which can be reconciled with patriotism. It is not neutral. It is a positive force. It is the only form of pacificism which is not neutral.

An impartial history of the war will establish the fact that the International Red Cross Society has been an international arbitrator and a solvent of national animosity for more effective than neutral pacificists.

A proof of this is to be found in the agreements that have been made for the various belligerents, as to the treatment of prisoners of war. This has been a matter of great diplomacy. Compliance of treatment of prisoners of war in Germany caused demands for a policy of reprisal in England, France and Russia.

Had there not been such an arbitrator as the Red Cross, a system of competitive cruelties might have been the terrible result. On the contrary millions of prisoners of war owe a progressive amelioration of their condition to their advocates.

The International Red Cross Society whose protests have met with a more favorable reception than the protests of any neutral power.

Every one of this are the recent regulations mutually agreed upon by the Russian and German governments. The Russian Red Cross as a means of maintaining the exact needs of prisoners of war, proposed the sending of Danish commodities to prison camps in Germany and Russia, accompanied by members of the German Red Cross in the case of Russia, and the Russians in the case of Germany.

The International Red Cross broached the question at Petrograd and Berlin, with the National Red Cross Societies of the belligerents, and the resulting compromise resulted in a complete entente between the two governments. The regulations agreed upon were as follows:

The Danish Red Cross is to send three delegates into each of the two countries to visit the concentration and internment camps. Each delegate is to take with him to be accompanied by a Red Cross nurse from the country in whose interest the visit is made.

These delegates are to have the right to converse with the prisoners, without witnesses, in their native tongue, concerning their personal affairs. The Red Cross nurses who accompany the delegates have the right to distribute without let or hindrance, money and charitable gifts.

Every means of transport to be put at the disposal of the delegates by the country in which the visit takes place. They have the right to take what photographs they please of the prisoners and their camps, as well as to make suggestions to the commanders, who are to in addition under orders to assist these Red Cross commissions by every means in their power.

In this and in other ways the Red Cross has established the right of prisoners of war to humane treatment. It has not secured the recognition of the Geneva Convention, it has gained far more privileges.

It is easy enough to win recognition of humane principles in time of peace. The Red Cross has succeeded in asserting its right even amid the bitterness of war. It has removed nearly every obstacle which separates a prisoner of war from the charity and sympathy of his compatriots.

It only remains for the civilian public to take advantage of this Red Cross open road, and to support by its contributions, the organization which has won such diplomatic triumphs for humanity.

If you wish to relieve the sick, wounded and prisoners, the Red Cross line of communication runs straight and true as a Roman road, to every loyal and patriotic camp in every belligerent country.

Join the 192nd Battalion

Frank Happenings

Under the auspices of the patriotic committee a lecture will be delivered in the Methodist church on Saturday evening, February 20th, on "The First Year of The War," by Professor A. E. Ottewill, B.A. of Alberta University, Edmonton. The lecturer is bringing with him about one hundred slides of scenes taken at the front during that year, which will be shown throughout the lecture. This will be a well spent evening for all who can attend.

Frank's population increased considerably during the past week, as may be seen by the following: A son to Mr. and Mrs. T. Davis, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Hamilton, and a son to Mr. and Mrs. Roger. Mr. Roger is with the 50th—until the 50th son, but the 50th daughter.

The Frank patriotic committee sent \$500 to the secretary at Calgary, and the following letter was received in reply:

"To Rev. W. T. Young, Secretary Committee Patriotic Fund."

Kindly accept the thanks of our committee for your favor of the 10th inst., enclosing cheque for the amount of \$500, being subscription to the Fund from your branch. I note with interest the information in the latter part of your letter to the effect that almost everyone in Frank is giving a percentage of his or her savings to the Fund. This is certainly a most commendable thing to do, and an advantage to the Fund by people in other parts of the province.

Yours truly,
THOMAS ALLAN.
Mrs. D. S. Howe returned from Flagstaff, B.C., the early part of the week, where she had been visiting her daughter.

We understand that R. E. Donkin, C.P.R. yardmaster, has enlisted as a lieutenant.

David Muir went to Coalhurst on Friday last to attend the funeral of his brother-in-law, who died shortly after receiving injuries on the Coalhurst railway siding. We extend our sincerest sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Muir.

The local branch of the Red Cross Society has not been idle, as will be seen from the following report:

From the citizens of Frank, collected by the Patriotic Committee, \$40.00, from membership fees, \$50.00, from tins \$21.55, from food sold \$9.30—total \$169.85.

Expenses—

supplies \$85, cheque to provincial headquarters \$50, balance on hand \$34.85.

Shipment to Calgary this week includes 24 rolled bandages, 34 dozen 1 bandages, 14 dozen striped shirts, 44 dozen triangular bandages, 24 dozen many-tailed bandages, 2 dozen ice-lugs, 1 dozen beddies bags, 4 pairs wristlets, 24 dozen handkerchiefs, 1 dozen wash-bags, 14 dozen pairs socks, 34 dozen bed-pads, and others to follow.

G. A. Laviole has resigned his position with the Franco-Canadian Collieries Co. to accept the position of purchasing agent with the West Canadian Collieries Co. at Blairmore.

Mark Spratt, who held the position of time keeper with the local coal company, has resigned for the purpose of enlisting with the 192nd Battalion.

It Pays To Advertise

A Representative Wanted

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Bellevue Happenings

Mrs. E. C. MacDonald has been confined to her home with a cold.

Miss Bowen, of Macleod, is visiting her sister here for a few days.

Mrs. Simpson has arrived from Nanaimo, B.C., to join her husband.

The Red Cross donors held in the Workers' Hall on Wednesday night was well attended.

W. Chappell, of the local mine office, has been transferred to the head office at Blairmore temporarily.

Robert Mitchell, who has been a resident of Bellevue for some years, passed away on Sunday, after a long illness. Death came rather unexpected. Deceased leaves a wife and one daughter, Miss Nora, and one son Ernest, both of Bellevue. Interment took place at the Hillcrest cemetery on Tuesday and was largely attended. Friends in Bellevue and district wish to extend through the columns of this paper their sincerest sympathy to the bereaved.

A Misunderstanding

Newspapers are constantly using the Department, and applications are still being received here to have all parcels addressed to soldiers in France sent to us or at reduced rates of postage, there evidently being the impression that the Post Office Department of Canada has control of this, and can do as it wishes.

This is not correct, inasmuch as the transference of parcels depends on a special order of the Post Office Department, which all parcels are transmitted, and under the terms of which only parcels addressed to soldiers in France sent to us. As Canada is only one party to this agreement, it is not possible for it to take independent action and lower the rates. If Canada did this, the parcels would simply not be received, or, if delivered in France, would not be transmitted to France nor distributed in England.

The Canadian Post Office Department for a reduction of the rates of postage on parcels posted in Canada and destined for France, and this has been refused by England and France on the ground that the amount of parcels and mail matter presented at the present time is such as to strain almost to the breaking point the transport service, and the War Office has stated publicly that it cannot and will not transport more parcels than it has been doing.

This statement was made in the British House of Commons, and the reasons above were given as to why they would not make a reduction in regard to parcels being sent from England. What France or England could not do for their own people, they could not do for Canada, and moreover they have refused the applications of the Department to have this done.

The number of parcels is so many and the strain on the transport system is so great at the present time that the British Government has notified the Post Office Department of Canada that temporarily all parcels are reduced to seven pounds, that is, no parcel weighing more than seven pounds will be carried for the present.

The British War Office has notified the Post Office Department of Canada that it is necessary to limit the amount of parcel traffic for the troops during the Christmas and New Year's season, in the interest of military efficiency. The War Office points out that the great bulk of mail matter dealt with in normal times is already a severe tax on the transport service; that the amount which the roads will carry without breaking up is limited; that ammunition, food and stores for the army must necessarily have preference over the mail; that any increase in the volume of mail traffic must cause delay in the forwarding of these necessary equipments for war.

The public are, therefore, appealed to in their own interest, as well as in the interest of military efficiency, to limit the use of parcel post to articles of real utility.

Fruit, perishable articles of all descriptions, bottles and earthenware jars and like articles are prohibited, and will not be accepted for transmission; and, until further notice, no parcel exceeding seven pounds can or will be accepted for transmission to the forces in France or Flanders.

All parcels must be strongly and securely packed in covers or canvas, and other strong material. Parcels which do not comply with these requirements are unlikely to reach their destination safely; and if observed in course post will be returned to the sender. The name and address of the sender must be written on the outside; and parcels which do not comply with this condition will be refused.

Join the 192nd Battalion.

"Do you want the situation to be such that all the President can do to write messages and utter words of protest?" asked President Wilson of his fellow-countrymen, when delivering a speech on "Preparedness." President Wilson has at last begun to realize that the typewriter is not mightier than the machine-gun.

Messrs. Allan Hamilton, Herbert Barlass and Young Burnett, of Bellevue 118, L.O.F., are attending the Grand Lodge sessions at Lethbridge this week.

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Local and General

The auditors' report for the year 1915 will appear in our next week's issue.

The vicious "Lyon" again threatened to attack the C.P.R. bridge at Ninth Avenue on Thursday night, and required several shots before retreating.

Some local chaps say that they would enlist if they had not so much at home to sacrifice. Yes, and the fewer the dispenser would be the greater sufferer.

At a special meeting of the town council held on Tuesday evening, Frank Wright was appointed to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of William Joyce as secretary-treasurer.

With a population of 1,100,000 white people, South Africa has not only waged one campaign against Germany, but dispatched a force to German East Africa, and sent several well known numbers of volunteers to Britain on the Empires service, but is also paying for her share of the war. Already they have spent over \$100,000,000 for war purposes.

The Canadian Red Cross has received over \$1,000,000 in cash, and supplies to the value of nearly \$300,000. \$150,000 has been spent on ambulances and \$125,000 has been given to the British Society. Sixty-five Red Cross nurses and fifty male attendants have been sent through the St. John Ambulance Society. The number of branches has increased in one year from 157 to 320. The total shipments amount to over 30,000 barrels and the average weekly shipment from Toronto alone at present is four carloads. There are advance supply depots as near the front as possible to supply the Canadian Field ambulances. It has been stated by Col. Hodgkiss, the Commissioner in England, that not one Red Cross case has been lost in transit since the beginning of the war.

COUNTER CHECK BOOKS

We supply nearly all The Pass stores.
The Imperial is the best that can be obtained.
Let us show you samples and quote prices.

The 'Enterprise,' Blairmore

Bairmore Opera House

: One Night Only :
Wednesday, Feb. 23

By special arrangement with Selwyn & Co., New York.

The United Producing Co.
offer
The Dramatic Sensation of The Decade,

"Within The Law"

— A Play of Today —
All Special Scenery and Effects
An Absolutely Guaranteed Attraction

This is the same company that just finished a three-days' engagement at The Grand, Calgary, to capacity houses.
Prices \$1.00, 75c. Children 25c. Seats at W. A. Beebe's Office

Coming, Thursday, March 23

"Fine Feathers"

Another of the United Producing Co.'s Guaranteed Attractions
Others Will Follow

Clean, bright utensils mean clean appetizing food—use



Why the Stove is Black

Heating Surfaces and Flues Should be Kept Clean

The typical household operates on the hit-or-miss rule of thumb. Effectiveness is secured either through happy chance or the coincidence of that rule with some sound principle.

Why is the stove in the kitchen kept black? The United States Bureau of Standards asserts that not one woman in ten knows. It says that the reason is that a blackened stove is the hottest of stoves. A nickel plated stove loses half of its capacity for heatness.

An Unspeakable Thought

There Should be no Talk of Peace With Victory Near at Hand

ized. Quite true, many varieties of systems are used but the close analy-

Two thousand men are engaged on repairs to aircraft. The aircraft come

lanced action upon the liver and kidneys and by regulating the action of these organs act as an alternative

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Bellevue will likely have the honor of contributing Alberta's biggest soldier. Jack Stone has made application for enlistment as a private, and on Monday successfully passed the doctor's examination. He measures 6 feet 4 inches in height, 52 inches around the chest, and tips the scales at 294 pounds. Hoch, der Kaiser, if "Jack" ever gets a swell at him!

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OF LOCAL AND GENERAL INTEREST

Rev. Mr. Rudd, of Livingston, was a visitor in town on Monday. Mrs. Kidd's maternity home, Box 95, Phone 151, Wedding Cakes decorated.

News from Petrograd state that Slav forces have captured Erzerum with close to 100,000 Turks.

Up to date nine Canadian merchant vessels have been sunk and submarines, with a total gross tonnage of 37,145 tons.

The Anglican church service for Sunday next, February 20th, will be at 11 a.m., conducted by the Rev. D. J. Watkins-Jones, of Macleod.

W. A. Bebe attended the St. Valentine's dance at the Windsor hotel, Lundbreck, on Monday night, and was accompanied thither by A. Valentine.

Pelle Routhier, who claims to be a Frenchman, has been sentenced to 30 days imprisonment by Magistrate Elton, of Lethbridge, for uttering seditious language.

The eighth annual ball of Coleman Lodge No. 36 and Victoria Rebekah Lodge No. 7, I.O.O.F., will be held in the opera house at Coleman on the night of March 10th.

The annual ball of Bellevue Lodge, I.O.O.F., to be held on Friday night of next week, promises to be a banner affair. The committee in charge intend giving a right royal time to everyone who attends.

Dutch newspapers, both pro-German and anti-German, are denouncing in loud terms a full explanation from Germany for the torpedoing of the Dutch boat by a German submarine in the North Sea.

The heavyweight championship bout between Jess Willard and Frank Moran will be pulled off on Madison Square Gardens, New York, on March the 8th, instead of St. Patrick's day, as at first arranged.

On the night of February 9th, two restaurants at Calgary, supposed to be owned by Germans, were raided by a mob of civilians and soldiers and promptly reduced to "smoldering." On the following night the Riverside hotel, also attacked and wrecked. As a precaution against further raids, the plant of the Calgary Brewing Co. and other establishments which might be considered a prey for the rioters, are now heavily guarded.

Her Royal Highness the Duchess of Connaught has graciously accepted the office of President of the Canadian Red Cross Society. This announcement will give unfeigned satisfaction to every member of the Society, and to all interested in its work, and will prove an incentive to even more enthusiastic efforts for the future. Her Royal Highness has since the beginning of the war taken a keen personal interest in the work of the Society, and has now shown Her Royal approval of its management in accepting the office of its President.

An error crept into an item in our issue of last week, respecting the raffling of the cushion presented to the Bellevue branch of the Red Cross Society by Mrs. James Callan. The winner of the cushion was Mary Ki, and not Mr. Mc. Mr. Ki, without hesitation decided to hand his prize back to the ladies for a further competition, showing thereby that our Chinese citizens are feebly interested in the good work the Red Cross ladies are performing.

The Enterprise is desirous of securing a reliable correspondent at Coleman.

We understand that Mar Day will open another restaurant in the Peuchen block.

The resolution to extend the enforcement term passed, the vote on Thursday without an amendment or a division.

Mrs. Pankhurst says the Germans are making motions out of milk. Ah! So that's the way they take to cow John Bull—Ex.

James R. Iwan, former chief of office in 2nd division, is now a sergeant in charge of the American Legion recruiting office at Calgary.

The German Emperor's birthday was celebrated by the wholesale release from jail of criminals throughout the Empire. These men will be made to enlist.

Pincher Creek has made a fine recruiting record so far, and is making it better every day. It will be remembered that Pincher Creek had a fine record at the time of the South African war.

When the Highlanders (in kilts) first went to the front the ladies could not make out what they were. One said to another: "It isn't a man—it has petticoats!" Another said: "It isn't a woman—it has whiskers!" Finally one exclaimed: "The English have a regiment called the Middlesex and no doubt this is it!"

Blairmore Red Cross

Tuesday, February 20th, is an extra day in the year. Following a suggestion from the Calgary branch we have intervened the business institutions of the town and have arranged for 5c, of all sales for the day. It will be an easy matter to arrange your purchasing for that day and help to swell this special fund.

The tickets for the new are being sold rapidly and the drawing will take place on Tuesday, 26th. The members of the society are planning a ten-cent tea to be held on Tuesday afternoon in their sewing room in the school house. The lucky ticket will be drawn there. Come one, come all—the sure way to bring your company.

David Fraser, former sergeant with the 13th O.M.R., has transferred to the 192nd Battalion and is now a lieutenant.

Mr. Schweitzer, of the Royal Bank, has received word of the death of his brother, which occurred after his being invalided home to England from France.

Reverend Arthur Loring Hennessey's Three-Star Putnam has taken command of the West Canadian Battalion, guarding the coast of Greenhill. This appointment is only made temporarily until the spring tides subside.

The clockwork which arrived Sunday and continued all this week has certainly been well-used. The snow monotone has been relieved quicker than they accumulated and in spite of desperate weather which threatened us a week or two ago, it now looks as though an early spring is possible.

Another French-Canadian battalion, the 206th, has been authorized for the overseas service and will be organized by Lieut.-Col. T. Payette, a former commander of the 85th battalion. The new regiment will be recruited in Beauharnois, Terrebonne, La Prairie, Montreal and L'Assomption counties, and it is expected that the headquarters will be in Montreal.

James Hunter, senior, visited at Lethbridge for a few days this week.

A daylight airplane passed made by the Huso on the English coast last week and did little damage.

Rev. Willis Wright, of Pincher Creek, will be the speaker both morning and evening at the Union church on Sunday.

Someone or other we cannot help suspecting that President Wilson got a lot of note paper as a wedding present—Kin. Rev. W.

R. E. Campbell, member for this district, was down last week and on business in connection with the 192nd battalion recruiting campaign.

The boys writing home from German prisons say they are getting tired of ball food. We would suggest that the 192nd Battalion go over and see that British step.

Some fellows who, when in full view of the world, dig up a large amount of money for patriotic purposes, and then try to get even by putting snakes on their cheeks.

The capture of the South African fleet, Appen, by a German submarine off the Canary Islands is more spectacular than significant. For once the Kaiser's commanders have retained from murder.

The road over the slide became completely blocked on Saturday, so that on Monday it became necessary for the department of public works to employ a gang of men to clear away a passage through the snow drifts.

A special meeting of the Blair more town council was called by the mayor for Tuesday evening, for the purpose of appointing a secretary-treasurer to act temporarily in the vacancy caused by the resignation of W. Joyce.

Walter Ross, of Macleod, who had a number of teams working for the Macleod Lumber Co., had to suspend operations during the stormy period and withdrew his teams to Blairmore. As soon as conditions will permit, the horses will be driven back to Macleod.

Sgt. F. E. Hinds was in town over Sunday, visiting his family, and left for Tuesday evening train for Ottawa, where he will for a time act as recruiting officer for a new American Legion. He reports having had little difficulty in securing sufficient recruits for the first Legion, and believes it is possible for several such battalions to be formed in Canada.

Altitudes in the West

The following figures are taken from an official publication just issued by the Commission of Conservation, and will be of interest to our readers.

Points on the Alderside branch, C.P.R. Carmanagay station, 3084 feet above mean sea level; Barrow, 3154; Chicomungo 3152; Valdez 3142; Kipp 3090; Nodford 3227; Alderside at junction, 3416. Other altitudes in the province, Lethbridge 2987, Macleod 3166, Carleton Place 3290, Stavely 3222, Nanton 3359, Fort Hare 3401, Okotoks 3445, Calgary 3437, Edmonton C.P.R. station 2153, C.N.R. station 2185.5, Medicine Hat 2181, Banff 4534, Cardston 3826. Highest point on C.P.R. main line, summit of Kicking Horse Pass 5332. Highest point on C.P.R.'s West Pass 4459. Other altitudes on main line, Winnipeg 1204, Selkirk 1896.4, Brandon 1778, Swift Current 2432, Revelstoke 1494, Kamloops 1159, Ashcroft 1004.

A dance will be given at the Windsor hotel, Lundbreck, on March 17th.

Don't forget the Leap Year dance to be given at Coleman on the 29th, under the auspices of the Red Cross Society.

One of our prominent citizens says that the plural of beer is "more beer." The request may be prohibition.

Chas. Dunlop attended the I.O. O.F. Grand Lodge sessions at Lethbridge this week, as representative of Coleman Lodge 36.

Someone has said that Joe Graham's speech on Creston fruit lands, will be the proper dope to paralyze the Germans.

Col. Kemmis has resigned the command of the 13th to accept a staff appointment, and Major Lindgren has taken command of the 13th.

J. F. Hunter attended the session of the Grand Lodge of Alberta, I.O.O.F., at Lethbridge, this week, as representative of Blairmore Lodge 68.

Field Marshall von der Goltz, who has the reputation of training the Turks to fight in modern fashion, is reported to be locked up in Erzerum with 80,000 men. We would like to hear confirmation of the report.

Sir Edgar Bowering, of the firm of Bowering Bros., Liverpool, England, and St. John's, Newfoundland, has undertaken to establish in England a convalescent home for soldiers recovering from wounds or illness, and will provide \$200 a month till the end of the year for the maintenance of this home.

The following resolutions were passed by the Alberta Temperance and Moral Reform League at a Convention on February 1, 2 and 3, 1916.

1. Inasmuch as an appeal is being made to the Dominion Parliament looking toward the total prohibition throughout the Dominion of the manufacture and sale of intoxicating drinks while the war lasts, therefore BE IT RESOLVED that this Convention of the Alberta Temperance & Moral Reform League hereby expresses its hearty endorsement of that appeal, and that it assure the temperance forces in the other parts of the nation that it will give its best support and service in securing this nation-wide result, if the opportunity shall be secured, to bring the matter to a vote.

RESOLVED that copies of this resolution be furnished to the Dominion Government, to the Dominion Alliance and to each of the members of the Dominion Parliament from the Province of Alberta.

2. RESOLVED that this Convention appropriate the action of the Premier of Alberta as to the promise given by him to introduce annually a bill providing for the extension of the franchise to the women of the Province and could respectfully request that a library or some other efficient test for both male and female voters be incorporated in the proposed bill affecting the Election Act.

3. That this Committee recommend to the Convention now in Session, that approval be given to the movement made in many parts of the Dominion and voiced in the House of Commons by J. J. Hughes, M. P. for Kings P.E.I., asking for amendment to the British North America Act, giving the Province power to prohibit the importation and manufacture of liquors in any province that may so legislate, and thus looking toward total prohibition for the whole Dominion.

4. FURTHER that copies of this resolution be sent to all members of the Federal Parliament from Alberta.